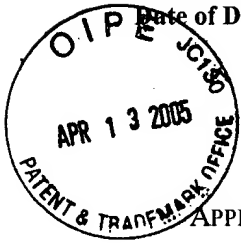


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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Transmitted herewith for filing in the present application are the following documents:

1. Amendment and Response (4 pages);
2. Petition for Extension of Time (1 page);
3. Check No. 20378 in the amount of \$60.00 to cover the Extension fee; and
4. Return Postcard.

Although applicants believe we have appropriately provided for any fees due in connection with this submission, the Commissioner is authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any deficiency to Deposit Account No. 50-0311 (Reference No. 23254-501). A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned collect at (617) 542-6000, Boston, Massachusetts.

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